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- **Response to Restriction Requirement (12 pages)**

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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION/ELECTION REQUIREMENT**

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the first Official Action mailed September 27, 2005. This response is being filed within the one-month shortened statutory period for reply. Accordingly, Applicants believe that no extension of time is required. However, Applicants conditionally petition for an extension of time to provide for the possibility that the need for such a petition has been inadvertently overlooked. As provided below, please charge our deposit account number 50-2121 for any required fee.

Amendments to the Claims are reflecting in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.